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It's 1960s London, baby—and Peter Sarsgaard  
is one charming bloke in 'An Education' *pages 6-7*





# Can you scare us?

Breaking news: Rod Blagojevich has been reinstated to the governor's office! OK, now that you're really scared, we want to talk ghost story. The best ghost story in Chicago. A ghost story that leaves you breathless and trembling and aghast. A ghost story that kids will be telling around campfires for years to come.

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- » Be no longer than 700 words. (Story title does not count toward your word total.)
- » Be suitable to print in a family newspaper. (Even demons must watch their language.)
- » Reach us by midnight Chicago time Sunday.

Only e-mail submissions will be accepted.

E-mail your entries to [ghoststory@tribune.com](mailto:ghoststory@tribune.com).

No attachments, please; paste the story into the body of your e-mail. Tribune employees are not eligible; however, anybody else—Stephen King, are you listening?—is welcome to submit a story.

The winning story, as selected by Tribune cultural critic Julia Keller, will be published in the Tribune's A&E section on Nov. 1—and the writer will receive a CD of the story read aloud by the Tribune's own Alistair Cooke, Rick Kogan.

As we sift through the entries, we will post the best ones online at [chicagotribune.com/halloween](http://chicagotribune.com/halloween).



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## TODAY'S FORECAST

Morning rain, then not so bad



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HIDDEN AGENDA

## Fit parade

★ **On the agenda:** Taste of Wellness Tour  
at Green City Market, 1750 N. Clark St.,  
312-933-8347; [chewchicago.com](http://chewchicago.com)

**Check it out if you ...** are looking for ways to get in shape but don't know what you'll like, want to try out some local health-conscious restaurants, think a mix of exercise and shopping makes for a great morning.

**The deets:** At 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays through Nov. 18, you can take a walking tour of Lincoln Park spots geared toward supporting a healthy lifestyle. The tour starts by sampling foods at Green City Market (or with a 20-minute exercise class on Fridays and all dates after Oct. 31, when the market is closed). You'll get a workout with stretching at Lululemon and 20-minute yoga and Pilates classes. Along with burning calories, participants learn about raw food and sample smoothies at Karyn's Raw and try natural beauty products at Lush. The 3-mile tours last 3 to 4 hours and finish at Whole Foods, where you can stick around and buy lunch. The \$40 fee includes a gift bag with coupons, samples and information. During October, \$5 from every ticket is donated to Be Bright Pink in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

**The payoff:** Learning new ways to stay fit.



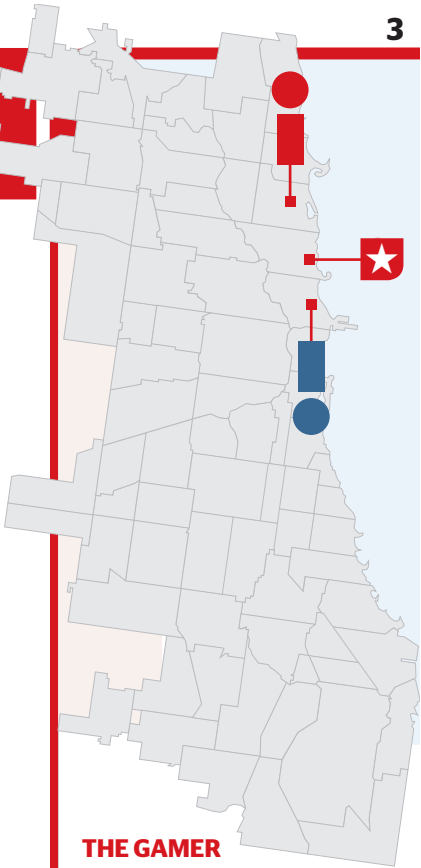
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Yoga at Veria  
Natural Wellness



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Body Endeavors



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Who's playing at home



**Northwestern  
vs. Indiana**  
11 a.m. Saturday, Ryan  
Field, Evanston



**Wolves vs.  
Abbotsford**  
7 p.m. Saturday, Allstate  
Arena, Rosemont



**Blackhawks  
vs. Nashville**  
7:30 p.m. Saturday,  
United Center

A mashup  
of RedEye  
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**MasquerAid**

*West Town*  
Don a party mask, listen to music, try some light hors d'oeuvres, network and enjoy three hours of open bar as Young Professionals of Chicago throws a fundraiser for Scholarship Chicago. The event continues at 11 p.m. with an afterparty at Market (1113 W. Randolph St.). 8 p.m. Mars Gallery, 1139 West Fulton Market. 312-229-0033. Tickets: [ypchicago.org](http://ypchicago.org). \$40-50.

**REDEYE/MMX PICK**  
**Dead Celebrity Pub Crawl**  
*Wrigleyville*

Dress as your favorite dead celebrity for a tour of six Wrigleyville bars. Includes a costume contest (9 p.m.) and drink specials. Schedule: 7:30 p.m., Trace (3714 N. Clark St.); 8:15 p.m., Rockit Bar & Grill (3700 N. Clark St.); 9 p.m., John Barleycorn (3524 N. Clark St.); 9:45 p.m., Uberstein (3478 N. Clark St.); 10:30 p.m., Mullen's on Clark (3527 N. Clark St.); 11:15 p.m., Sluggers Sports Bar & Dueling Pianos (3540 N. Clark St.). 773-549-6000. Tickets: [thechicagogrid.com](http://thechicagogrid.com). \$10-\$15.

**sun**

**REDEYE/MMX PICK**  
**Halloween for Dogs**  
*Near North Side*

Meet at the store for a group walk to nearby Washington Square Park (901 N. Clark St.) for the sixth annual canine costume parade and contest, which is expected to attract more than 400 pooches. Prizes are awarded for "scariest," "funniest" and "most glamorous." Includes goodie bags for contestants. Beginning at store at 10 a.m.; parade at 11 a.m. Tails in the City, 1 E. Delaware Pl. 312-649-0347. Free; \$10 costume contest entry fee.

**The Elaborate  
Entrance of 2nd Story**  
*Lincoln Park*

Hear original tales from individuals and groups of two and three, with musical accompaniment from writer-performers Kim Morris; Max Glaessner and metromix.com special contributor Julia Borcherts; and Khanisha Foster, Russell Foster and Sheridan Foster. 7:30 p.m. Victory Gardens Biograph Theater, 2433 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-871-3000. \$15-20.

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**Haunted Drive-in  
Movie Series**  
*Wicker Park*

Bundle up and watch Halloween-themed films in the park while eating pizza. In case of rain, films screen in the park's gym. 1 p.m. Saturday, "Creature from the Black Lagoon"; 6:30 p.m. Saturday, "Ghostbusters"; 1 p.m. Sunday, "Creature from the Black Lagoon"; 6:30 p.m. Sunday, "Ghostbusters II." Wicker Park, 1425 N. Damen Ave. 312-742-7553. \$5.

**Trails of Terror**  
*North Center*

Creepy characters infest nearly a half-mile of wooded trails depicting a seaside town featuring an old general store and haunted abandoned fishing boats. Not suitable for young children. 6:30-9:39 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Peterson Park, 5801 N. Pulaski Rd. 312-742-7584. \$10; \$8 for kids under age 13.



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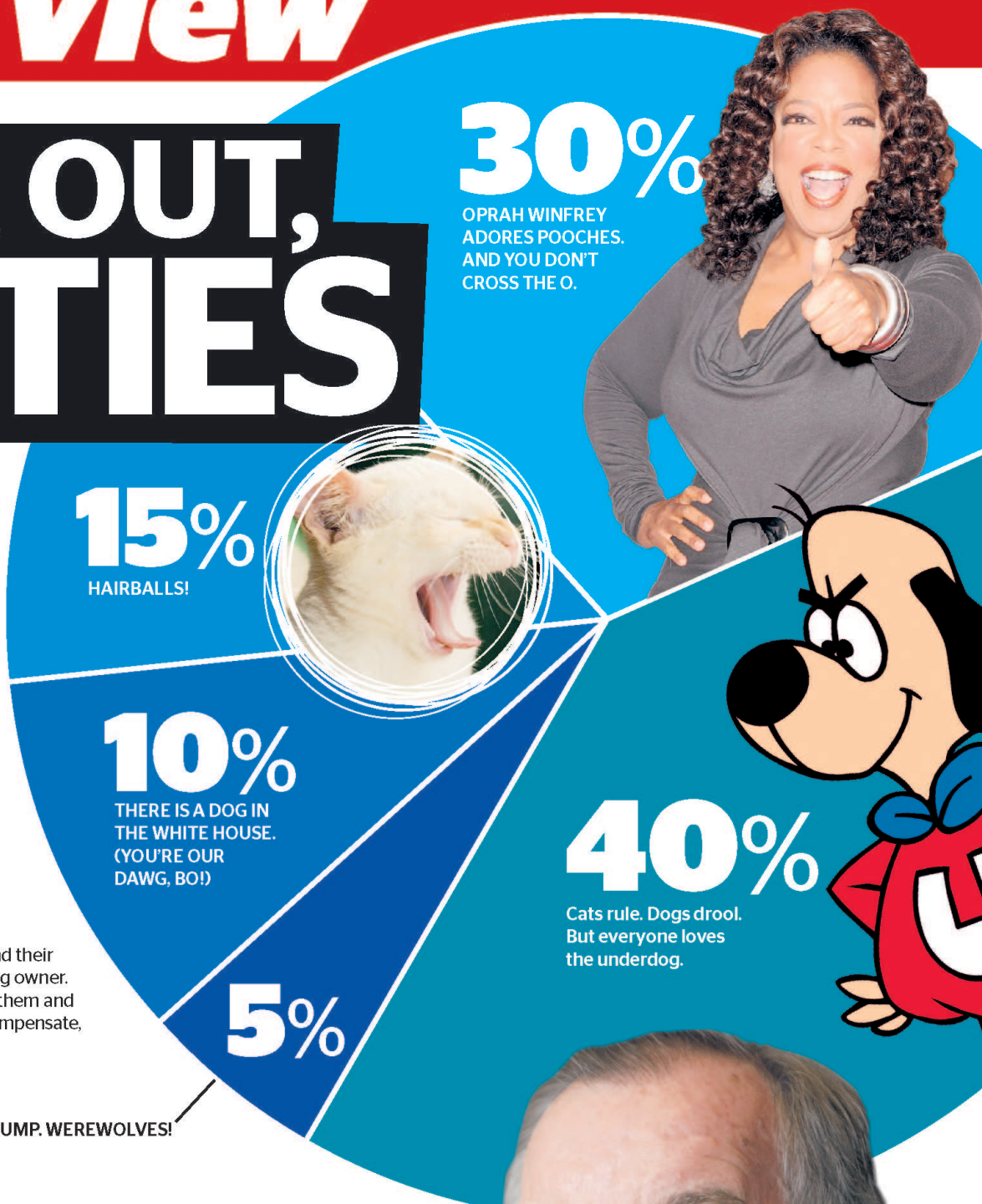


# deja view

## LOOK OUT, KITTIES

What gives, cat people? According to an Associated Press-Petside.com poll released Wednesday, only 53 percent of you would be at least somewhat likely to perform CPR on your pet in the event of a medical emergency. Compare that with the 63 percent of dog owners who said they would brave canine breath for mouth-to-snout resuscitation. Why the difference? Let's break down the reasons dogs get more love.

**Editor's note:** This playful jab at cat owners and their feline companions was written by a lifelong dog owner. He's sure cats are fine pets, but he's allergic to them and never will have the opportunity to know. To compensate, he lashes out at them.



## METER RAID

When Mayor Daley proposed his 2010 budget to the City Council on Wednesday, he called for the city to dig deep into the funds from the leases of its parking meters and the Chicago Skyway toll road. Here are the approximate numbers.

**\$2 BILLION** Upfront money the city collected for leasing the operation of and collection from its parking meters and the Chicago Skyway toll road.

**\$800M** Amount the city would have left from the deals that run through much of the rest of this century.

**\$600M** Amount of the revenue Mayor Daley proposed the city spend in 2010 to help close the budget gap.

**\$400 million** Amount of the revenue the city will spend by the end of this year.

## Heat index

RedEye takes the temperature of current events



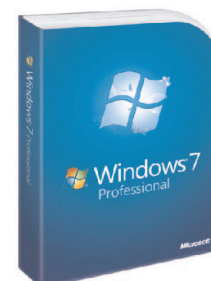
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Delivery delays



**Balloon story**  
Sheriff alleges hoax



**U. of I. chancellor**  
Latest to resign



**Windows 7**  
Better than Vista?



**Derrick Rose**  
Getting healthy



**Blago's new show**  
"Celebrity Apprentice"





# At the head of her class

## Associated Press

A memorable guest spot in a "Doctor Who" episode gave British actress Carey Mulligan a sci-fi cult following.

Now Mulligan is finding Hollywood fame with a star-making turn in "An Education," in which she stars as a brilliant teen whose dream of an Oxford University education gets sidetracked by an affair with a man (Peter Sarsgaard) twice her age.

"The quality of her acting, the freshness, the non-cynical nature of her acting. ... She has no tattoos, do you know what I mean?" Sarsgaard said. "All of her feelings were just right on the surface. She's, like, quaking with feeling."

Sally Sparrow, her "Dr. Who" character, now is getting bumped down Mulligan's list of credits during a breakout year. Here's a look at the 24-year-old actress' big year, plus a peek at 2010. **REDEYE CONTRIBUTED.**

## JANUARY

» "An Education" premiered at the Sundance Film Festival, and Mulligan has been on Oscar-watchers' short list for a best-actress slot since.

» Mulligan was a part of a second Sundance entry, the domestic drama "The Greatest," which starred Pierce Brosnan and Susan Sarandon and centered on a troubled family as it tried to get over the loss of its son.

## JULY

» In her first role in a major Hollywood film, Mulligan co-starred with Johnny Depp in "Public Enemies."

## OCTOBER

» "An Education" opened to great reviews and box-office results in limited release, with the film expanding to more theaters as awards season progresses.

## DECEMBER

» Mulligan will appear in the drama "Brothers," alongside Tobey Maguire, Natalie Portman and Jake Gyllenhaal. The film is about a man who comforts his older brother's wife and children after he goes missing in Afghanistan, according to [imdb.com](http://imdb.com).

## NEXT YEAR

» Mulligan stars in a juicy supporting role as the daughter of Michael Douglas' Gordon Gekko in the "Wall Street" sequel, directed by Oliver Stone.

» In "Never Let Me Go," about a woman who reflects on the dark secrets of her private school years in the English countryside, Mulligan reunites with good friend Keira Knightley, whose "Pride and Prejudice" gave Mulligan her first film role.



# Gaard duty

Illinois native Peter Sarsgaard's new movie is getting so much buzz, he just might have to see it

## By Miki Turner

FOR REDEYE

Peter Sarsgaard joked that he was too young to be appropriately sketchy as a man who romances a 16-year-old girl.

"I'm not an older man!" the Illinois native laughingly insisted during a recent chat with RedEye in Beverly Hills, Calif. "She's 16, I'm 37—we're practically the same age. I don't feel like somebody who is almost 40."

If industry buzz is any indication, Sarsgaard plays the older man quite well in "An Education," a coming-of-age drama set in 1960s London that hit Chicago theaters Friday. Sarsgaard, who is married to actress Maggie Gyllenhaal, developed a British accent and slipped into some retro clothes as a playboy who woos young Jenny (Carey Mulligan).

RedEye caught up with Sarsgaard, who grew up less than 20 miles east of St. Louis in Belleville, for an exclusive interview about his role, his family and the things he loves about Chicago.

## How do you see your character, David?

I think because a lot of us think that people that do morally bad things—like he does in the movie—that he is a bad person. What he does doesn't necessarily make him a bad person.

## You worked with Carey Mulligan in the Broadway production of "The Seagull." How cool was it working with her again?

She's just so on it every day, so focused, so ambitious and creative. It's nice. It was a blast.

## Did you work with a dialogue coach for this film to perfect your British accent?

I did. But a lot of what I did was just speak in a British accent every day and go to the grocery store and ask for things and talk to my castmates every day in a British accent. The only time when I was filming that I didn't speak with a British accent was when I was with my wife and child, or when they would come to set.

## Your daughter Ramona (3 years old) is still young. Is she showing any signs of joining the family business?

It's so hard to tell. I think all kids so immediately gravitate toward that kind of thing—toward singing and dancing and pretending. I think most of us are kind of born with the ability to sing, dance and act. We all just grow up and grow out of it, except for those of us who don't.

## How old were you when you realized acting was what you wanted to do?

I realized I was interested in acting for the first time when I was 19, not when I was young. I realized I was going to be a professional actor when I was 23.

## You grew up in southern Illinois, but what's the first thing you have to do when you visit Chicago?

Go to a record shop. That's the main thing in Chicago for me. I love the music scene there. I love Facets Video. They have lots of out-of-print films. I get stuff from them online.

## Do you like to watch yourself on screen?

Before "An Education," I had only seen one of my previous five movies. I go through phases where I don't watch any of them because the final product is often something I have nothing to do with. I might watch it out of curiosity.

## Some actors say they are drawn to things that scare them initially. Is that part of your process?

With this one, it definitely was. For some reason, it wasn't the prospect of being British. ... What mostly scared me about the part, weirdly, was playing Jewish. I thought, "How do you play Jewish? What is that?" I'm married to a Jewish woman. What does she do? Nothing!

## What's the coolest part about being married to another actor?

They're able to move around with you when you go. It's nice having a traveling companion.

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## Age of enlightenment

"Coming-of-age" is a category that seems to fit every other movie—"Superbad" could qualify; so could "Hamlet." But the journey of Jenny in "An Education" is specifically that of a girl transitioning into womanhood and not necessarily finding it all it's cracked up to be. Here are a handful of others that have covered some of the same terrain in unique ways. **NEWSDAY, REDEYE CONTRIBUTED.**

## Clueless (1995)

Alicia Silverstone (right) memorably played Cher as a materialistic high school diva who learned to care for others—albeit in her own, uh, unique way—in part due to her interest in do-gooder Josh (Paul Rudd), an older man and employee of her father.



Carey Mulligan and Peter Sarsgaard in "An Education."  
SONY PICTURES CLASSICS

# Straight A's for 'An Education'



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**AN  
EDUCATION**  
(PG-13)



In 1961 London, Jenny (Carey Mulligan), who appears much older than her 16 years, longs to escape her repressive schooling and protective parents for liberated thought, music, language and more at Oxford University. When she falls for older, successful David (Peter Sarsgaard), a life full of swanky jazz clubs, great restaurants and adult conversation suddenly seems within reach and takes priority over her studies.

**The buzz:** Winner of the World Cinema Audience Award and Cinematography Award at this year's Sundance film festival, "An Education" has a lot going for it between screenwriter Nick Hornby and the always-interesting Sarsgaard. Dutch director Lone Scherfig ("Italian for Beginners") and Mulligan (who

had a small role in "Public Enemies") will mostly be starting from scratch with American audiences.

**The verdict:** From what experiences do we gain and learn the most? Is it reasonable to seek a life of pure satisfaction? Whatever the answers, the film is a wonderful meditation on understanding life's many choices and hierarchies — among them age, race, gender, religion, nation — and deciding to abide or rebel. Wit is not as common at the movies as it should be, and "An Education" practically overflows with smarts and class, even if the ending soft-pedals the ambiguity of big decisions. The film paints a delicious, complex portrait of ambition and infatuation, power and privilege. Mulligan, who's like a ravishing, remarkable cross between Audrey Hepburn and Michelle Williams, levels Jenny's perspective into a mix of excited, fragile youth and deceptively sturdy maturity. She's a lock for an Oscar nod and just might win.

**Did you know?** Jenny's father (an excellent Alfred Molina) tells her that it's not necessary to practice a hobby and thus she can still get credit on university applications for playing the cello even if she never practices. Dads can be such good time-savers. **MATT PAIS IS THE METROMIX MOVIES PRODUCER.**



» For more Fast Paused reviews, including the animated "Astro Boy," turn to **Page 13**.



## Ghost World (2001)

Although it involves the ripening sensibilities of Rebecca (Scarlett Johansson) and Enid (Thora Birch), who ends up in a romantic relationship with the older, uber-nerdy Seymour (Steve Buscemi), the cult favorite essentially is about sensitive souls being cast adrift in a hostile world.

## Bend It Like Beckham (2002)

Jess (Parminder Nagra) learns about the complexities of culture as she battles with her strict Indian family for freedom and the heartache of love as she and bestie Jules (Keira Knightley) compete for the affections of their older soccer coach (Jonathan Rhys Meyers).

## Adventureland (2009)

Kristen Stewart (right), who plays the sweet Bella in the "Twilight" films, takes on the role of Em, an angry and rebellious girl who falls into an ill-advised affair with the older, married Mike (Ryan Reynolds). She pays the price for her decisions but ultimately comes to grips with an unfair world.







# the it LIST

## WHAT'S HOT THIS WEEKEND

BY LISA BALDE

### TASTE IT

#### The best of Gioco

*'Hood: South Loop*

Celebrate 10 years of modern Italian food in the South Loop with a five-course sampling menu at **Gioco** (1312 S. Wabash Ave. 312-939-3870). Chef Danny Sweis picked some of his favorite menu items from the past decade and pulled them into a \$30 meal that includes Mortadella Involturni (bufala ricotta, bell pepper, garlic toast point), pumpkin soup with pistachios, lamb ravioli with lemon egg sauce, wild striped bass and, for dessert, a fig tort. Are you drooling yet? Act fast. The meal, which includes a glass of either pinot grigio or sangiovese, is available only through Thursday.

**When:** 5-10 p.m. Sunday-Thursday

**Cash:** \$30 per person



### SHOP IT

#### Victoria's Secret's new flagship

*'Hood: Gold Coast*

Ladies, if your secret stash of lacey underthings could use an update (or if that sad state of an underwear drawer needs immediate resuscitation), now's the time to take action. **Victoria's Secret** opened its new Chicago flagship store (734 N. Michigan Ave.) on Thursday and celebrates its opening weekend by showing off a high-end panty boutique, a bra salon complete with expert fittings, a beauty bar and a fun, flirty display of PINK products. Speaking of flirty: Ever wonder if you've got what it takes to prance in your panties on a runway? Follow in the heels of Gisele Bundchen and Heidi Klum during an open Victoria's Secret casting call (8 a.m. Saturday) at the **W Hotel** (644 N. Lake Shore Drive. 312-943-9200).

**When:** 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday;  
11 a.m.-7 p.m. Sunday

**Cash:** Free



Ted Leo

### HEAR IT

#### Ted Leo and the Pharmacists

*'Hood: Lincoln Park*

Haven't had the chance to check out Schubas' new live-music venue, **Lincoln Hall** (2424 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-525-2508)? Don't miss the club's official grand opening event on Sunday, headlined by all-around excellent Washington, D.C., (punk-)rockers Ted Leo and the Pharmacists, performing with Chicago transplants the Jai-Alai Savant. Have a bite at Lincoln Hall's restaurant, take in a show, and if you can't stop thinking about the place by the time Monday rolls around, try to sneak in for the sold-out performance by Son Volt's Jay Farrar and Death Cab for Cutie's Ben Gibbard (8 p.m. Monday).

**When:** 8 p.m. Sunday

**Cash:** \$15 at the door

### SUPPORT IT

#### Fulton Market shops and galleries

*'Hood: West Loop*

Spending splurges feel so much more justifiable if they're helping local businesses. If that's your motto too, get ready to support away at **Explore Fulton Market** (West Lake Street and West Fulton Market, [explorefultonmarket.com](http://explorefultonmarket.com)). Twenty neighborhood stores, boutiques and art galleries host sales and open houses as part of the annual event. Shop for bags and purses at Bess & Loie (1015 W. Lake St.), find eco-friendly fashions from Pivot Boutique (1101 W. Fulton Market) and browse paintings at Penny & Gentle Fine Arts Studio (900 W. Lake St.).

**When:** Noon Saturday

**Cash:** Free

### LOVE IT

#### Akira's Technicolor Lover pop-up

*'Hood: Millennium Park*

Feeling lost in the sea of Fashion Focus Chicago's runway shows, design presentations and shopping ops? Take refuge inside **Akira Chicago's Technicolor Lover pop-up store** (Millennium Park's Harris Theatre Rooftop, 201 E. Randolph St.), a 10,000-square-foot shop featuring fall looks, giveaways and more. Browse new Akira clothing and shoes for men and women while munching free appetizers and sipping samples of Hennessy Black cocktails, then indulge in complimentary spa treatments from Zazu Salon and get hair advice from PHYTO hair specialists. For the true Fashion Focus experience, stick around for hourly runway shows modeling styles from Akira's Black Label (1 p.m.), BB Dakota (2 p.m.), Ben Sherman (3 p.m.) and Modern Amusement (4 p.m.). Can't get enough? Find more Fashion Focus events at [metromix.com](http://metromix.com).

**When:** 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday

**Cash:** Free





## the juice

### Takashi Restaurant

1952 N. Damen Ave.

773-772-6170



(2.5 out of 4 eggs)

**LOVED IT:** House-made tofu (\$5) with bonito flakes and ginger soy

#### HATED IT:

A charge for "water service"

#### LUNCH TIME:

11:30 a.m.-3 p.m.  
Sunday

**COST:** \$25-\$30  
per person

**WAIT:** None

# Ramen revolution

By M. Kathleen Pratt

Ramen and you go way back. It's always been there for you, through college hangovers and that thrifty summer after you graduated. It even had your back when you broke up with your girlfriend and she left with the microwave. (Stovetop ramen!) But how well do you really know ramen? If you haven't had Takashi Yagihashi's noodles, the answer is not at all.

That Maruchan you microwaved back in college and the stuff Takashi serves at the Sundays-only noodle lunch he launched at his two-story Bucktown restaurant in July are similar in name only. Takashi makes his own noodles, then works them into fragrant broths filled with delicacies such as house-made fish cakes and barbecued eggs.

Though the four ramen dishes are standouts (particularly the fragrant soy broth-based shoyu ramen, \$11, prepared

with braised pork), Sunday lunches aren't all about those kinky yellow noodles. There also are silky somen noodles, delicate soba noodles (served both hot and chilled) and soft, chewy udon noodles in a mild soy-dashi broth seasoned with mit-suba, a Japanese herb, and yuzu (\$13).

We don't advise you to stray too far from the noodle dishes, but that shouldn't be difficult. The only other entree option is fried rice with grilled short

ribs or shrimp, and neither preparation compares to the noodle dishes.

If you're exploring the menu of sharable starters, don't miss the crispy-skinned duck fat-fried chicken (\$8), meant to be doused in light sesame dressing (\$8), or the tasty "pork belly snacks" (\$8), a dish we were thrilled to see swiped from the dinner menu for a lunch cameo. Unctuous bits of caramelized pork belly are served atop slices of spongy steamed buns with a smear



Shoyu ramen



Takashi Restaurant  
BARRY BRECHSEN  
FOR METROMIX

of hot mustard on the side to give the sweet, rich meat some spicy contrast. And if you've been here for dinner, you already know that skipping dessert is not an option. Our favorite is the soy-coconut panna cotta (\$5), bathed in tangy passion fruit syrup.

Though the Sunday afternoon vibe is much more casual than the polished dinner atmosphere, Takashi is still a

step above your average brunch spot in service and price. The lunch crowd might be wearing jeans and T-shirts, but no one hesitates to plunk down upward of \$25 for a mid-day meal. Yes, that translates to a lot of budget-brand Top Ramen. But once you've had Takashi's version, you're never going back.

M. KATHLEEN PRATT IS THE METROMIX DINING PRODUCER. KPRATT@TRIBUNE.COM

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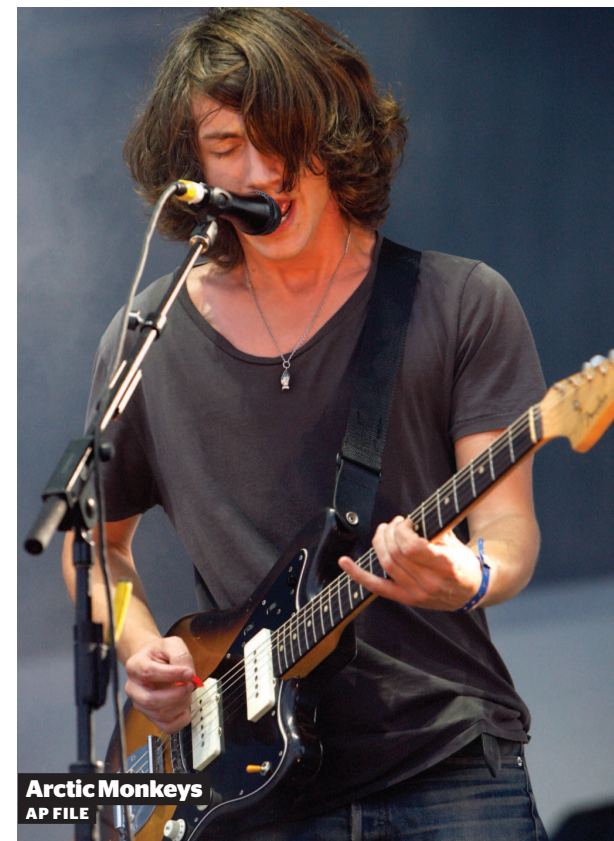
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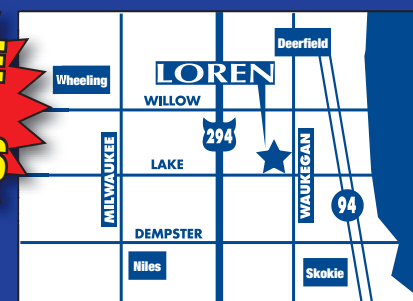
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# You bastards!

By Rene Rodriguez

MIAMI HERALD

Ten years in the making, Trey Parker and Matt Stone finally have made good on their promise to record a commentary track for "South Park: Bigger, Longer and Uncut." The only catch is that the track is exclusive to the new Blu-ray release of the film, and the movie's crude animation doesn't benefit much from the format's higher resolution.

Unusually straightforward and honest, the normally irreverent duo begin by admitting they don't remember a lot of details about the making of the 1999 film. But they still come up with enough anecdotes to make the track live up to expectations. Although the idea for the movie was making "an R-rated cartoon about an R-rated cartoon," Parker and Stone admit they received enormous pressure from the studio to deliver a PG-13 picture and were even forced to sit through a presentation by



**BLU-RAY**  
**South Park: Bigger, Longer and Uncut** (R)  
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accountants explaining how much more money they stood to make if they softened the film.

The duo also reveals the studio hated their decision to turn the movie into a musical, and marketing executives hid the fact from the film's trailers and marketing materials. Only after one of the songs was nominated for an Oscar ("Blame Canada") did Paramount ever concede the musical idea was a good one.

Parker and Stone recount the Oscar nomination experience extensively, including their decision to wear dresses to the Academy Awards (they almost chickened out at the last minute).

The stories never stop coming, whether it's Metallica's James Hetfield agreeing to sing the song heard when Kenny goes to hell (but asking for his name to be kept off the credits), or Paramount's accounting practices.

As for the movie, "South Park: Bigger, Longer and Uncut" remains hilarious and astonishingly daring, even for people who aren't fans.



## LOVE IT

### TV Endgame

8 p.m. Sunday, WTTW

PBS' Masterpiece Contemporary series opens with a tense political thriller about the beginning of the end of South African apartheid. Representatives of feuding white and black South Africa risked their lives to negotiate peace, despite threats from the secret police and bombing attacks by black activists. Knowing that this film leads to the release of Nelson Mandela (Clarke Peters) doesn't make it any less powerful; I cried and cheered. Jonny Lee Miller, Chiwetel Ejiofor and William Hurt lead the all-star cast.

CURT WAGNER, REDEYE



### TV ON DVD It's Garry Shandling's Show

Available now

"It's Garry Shandling's

Show" might be the most meta sitcom in the history of TV. A half-hour comedy about the life of a single comedian whose name happened to be Garry Shandling, this late-'80s gem that aired on Showtime (and later, Fox) never forgot—or let its audience forget—that it was a TV series. "It's Garry Shandling's Show," which arrived on DVD this week in a complete series box set, remains groundbreaking, smart and hilarious, a joyful precursor to "Seinfeld" that may have been even more daring than Jerry's weekly ode to nothing.

JEN CHANEY, THE WASHINGTON POST

## LIKE IT



### SONG Live Like We're Dying

Kris Allen

Reigning "American Idol" champion Kris Allen introduces his new album with a way-too-faithful version of Irish pop sensation The Script's "Live Like We're Dying," which, in turn, feels like a Jason Mraz retread. It's a nice enough song, but if it wasn't enough to break The Script, why exactly would it be a home run for Allen? With all the top-notch songwriters and producers at his disposal, Allen should have landed something far better than this.

GLENN GAMBOA, NEWSDAY



### VIDEO GAME Borderlands

Xbox 360, PlayStation 3

"Borderlands" feels like a sci-fi version of the classic fantasy role-playing game "Diablo." Their goals are the same: Kill everything, steal their weapons and loot, upgrade your weapons and kill bigger things. The major difference is that this is a first-person shooter, so you get a little "Halo" mixed into your "Diablo." It's an addictive formula, one that keeps nudging you to explore new areas and discover new powers. The game does a fine job of merging shooter and role-playing mechanics, and fans of both genres will enjoy the ride. Even people who are spooked by guns will be drawn into the search for new tools of destruction.

LOU KESTEN, AP

## LOATHE IT



### DVD AND BLU-RAY Nothing Like the Holidays

Available Tuesday

Lifting several pages from the

Tyler Perry playbook, the film tells a familiar story of a Puerto Rican family in Chicago that sorts out domestic problems over Christmas. The ensemble cast boasts some of the finest actors in the business (Freddy Rodriguez, John Leguizamo, Elizabeth Pena, Alfred Molina, Vanessa Ferlito). They do their best to breathe life into the stereotypes, but they don't have enough to work with.

THE WASHINGTON POST





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## WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE

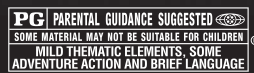
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## Spice up your home with a makeover

**Situation:** I am not satisfied with the look of my home, but I don't have the money to fix it up.

**Solution:** Give your place a no-cost makeover by cleaning, decluttering and rearranging.

Our homes are outward expressions of our inner selves, and they can have just as much influence on our lives as our jobs, family and friends.

Many people assume that home improvement requires a lot of money, and they put it off, thinking, "If I owned instead of rented, it would be worth it," or, "I'll wait until I get a new job and then I'll find a decent place."

It's true that shelter doesn't come cheap, but some of the most effective methods of home improvement cost nothing. Implement one or all five of these strategies, and you'll be surprised by the dramatic shift in your perspective.

### Deep clean

For a fresh start, focus on cleaning the "bones" of your home—its walls, windows and floors. Move furniture out of the way to vacuum, sweep and mop every part of the floor.

For walls and windows, use a damp sponge with a solution made from one cup of white vinegar (or one tablespoon of mild dishwashing liquid) per gallon of water.

### WANT MORE?

RedEye special contributor Sarah Coffey blogs for **apartment therapy.com**. Visit the site for more tips and tricks about apartment living in Chicago.

### Get rid of one thing

Every stylist I've ever met has said that decorating requires subtraction more than addition. Test this theory by getting rid of one thing. It should be big enough that you'll see a noticeable difference when it's gone. A chair, side table or something of similar size works well. Wait a couple of days before letting go of anything else.

### Get rid of some more

After subtracting one thing, chances are both you and your home will feel lighter. This is a great time to pull together a box (or several boxes) of items that you don't need. Clearing things out helps to overcome a sense of stagnation; it opens up the space you need to move forward.

### Fix something

Choose one thing in your home that's been driving you crazy, such as a leaky faucet, a burnt-out bulb or a drafty window. Set a deadline for fixing it—one week usually is enough time. If you rent from an unattentive landlord, bite the bullet and fix one small thing yourself. The reward of living in a working apartment is greater than the cost of making a minor repair.

### Rearrange your furniture

Your tastes and needs naturally change over time, and your home should be flexible enough to adapt. The cheapest way to make a change is to reorganize what you already have. Have a friend help you move big pieces. He or she can offer a second opinion if you're unsure of an arrangement, and their presence can give you the energy you need to finish the job. By working with what you already have, over time you'll learn to use the resources at hand to create a healthy and supportive home.





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## ASTRO BOY (PG)



# The future will be totally boring

After his son Toby is killed by a robot gone mad (Note: It's the future, and robots are our slaves), Dr. Tenna transposes the boy's appearance and memories onto a powerful robot. Soon the father can't bear to look at his not-quite-real son, the president wants control of the android, and the new Toby, who can fly and is super-strong, just wants to understand his place in the world.

**The buzz:** Adapting "Astro Boy" from the 1950s Japanese manga series means the film has a built-in audience of ... uh ... well, the film's target demo probably isn't familiar with the original, but maybe this piece of computer-animated sci-fi (from "Flushed Away" director David Bowers and featuring the voices of

Freddie Highmore, Nicolas Cage and Donald Sutherland) is more inventive than, say, "Monsters vs. Aliens."

**The verdict:** No, talking cleaning products are not my idea of fun (Toby occasionally encounters obnoxious robotic window washers), nor is a film with lame animation and mediocre voice work. (Kristen Bell does nicely, however, as Toby's gal pal.) The humans, none of whom has a strong enough personality to engage, look enough like people, but Toby looks like a shrunken version of the Big Boy mascot, meaning his interactions never seem natural. Save for a decent visual gag or two, "Astro Boy" is a big, fat, flying snooze.

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## Worth watching?

MATT'S PICKS FOR WHAT'S ALSO IN THEATERS

### WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE (PG)



Spike Jonze pulled it off. Wow.

### ANTICHRIST (NR)



Messed up but really good.

### MOTHERHOOD (PG-13)



Surely there's more to it.

### BLACK DYNAMITE (R)



Not that funny, you jive turkey.

### LAW ABIDING CITIZEN (R)



Gerard Butler strikes again.

### WANT MORE MATT?

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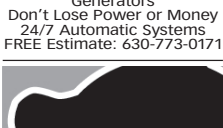


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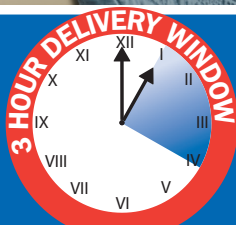
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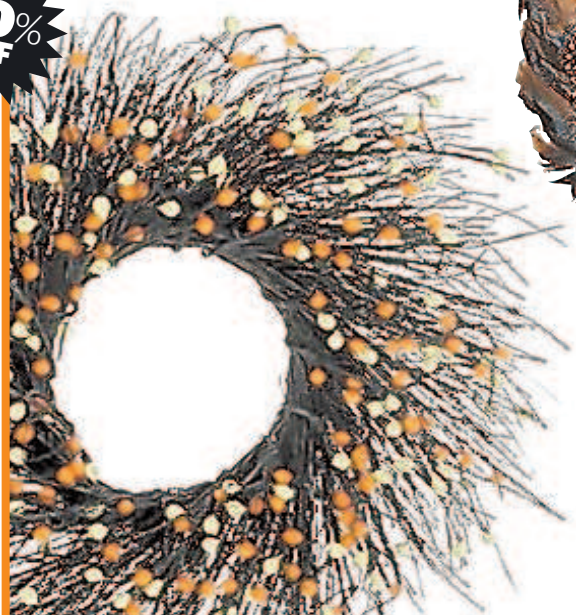
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**hot stuff**

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Jennifer Hudson  
AP

# Hudson's year of healing

## Associated Press

In the year since three members of her family were brutally killed in Chicago, Grammy and Oscar winner Jennifer Hudson has found ways to heal and start a new life.

And it appears the 28-year-old is happy again.

The actress and singer has gushed over her role as a new mother. She has started going out again, including an appearance at a New York gala just days ago. And she's poured herself into her work, from a gospel-tinged rendition of the national anthem at the Super Bowl months after the slayings to a "VH1 Divas" concert in New York last month.

"Her way of grieving is to put it all into her work and into her new baby," said Ian Drew, senior music editor at *Us Weekly* magazine. "She's celebrating what she has."

Now she is set to return to Chicago next month to film an ABC prime-time special in which she'll share memories of her childhood Christmases in Englewood and the church where she started singing.

It will be a bittersweet journey as she films "Jennifer Hudson: I'll Be Home for Christmas," which is scheduled to air in December.

A year ago, just as her career was really taking off with roles in movies like "Sex and the City" and "The Secret Life

of Bees," Hudson had to return home for the worst reason possible.

On Oct. 24, 2008, the bodies of her mother, Darnell Hudson Donerson, 57, and brother, Jason Hudson, 29, were found in the family's home on the South Side. The body of her 7-year-old nephew, Julian King, was found days later in an SUV on the West Side, just over 10 miles away. All three had been shot.

Hudson spent the next few months away from the public eye.

By February, she had launched back into work, filming a video for "If This Isn't Love," followed by the Super Bowl performance and a Grammy win for best R&B album for her self-titled debut CD.

Hudson welcomed son David with fiance David Otunga in August.

She returned to Chicago last month to perform "Spotlight" for "The Oprah Winfrey Show."

"It feels good to be home," Hudson told the crowd on the Magnificent Mile.

The trip garnered the respect of many.

"People look up to her," said Aaron Wright, 38, of Englewood. "Even in tragedy, you still come home and represent where you come from. For her to come back home, that gave everybody else strength."

## THE SUSPECT

William Balfour, the estranged husband of Jennifer Hudson's sister, Julia, was charged with first-degree murder in the killings. Prosecutors alleged Balfour killed them in a jealous rage because he was upset Julia Hudson was dating another man. Balfour pleaded not guilty and remains jailed.

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FOR REDEYE

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"As soon as I read the concept, I signed up and started hosting the next day," Batey said. "It's been amazing. It's opened the world up for me."

The Ravenswood resident has been a part of the network for only a year and estimates she already has hosted about 50 travelers, some coming from as far away as Europe and Australia.

While she initially was nervous about welcoming strangers into her home, Batey said she hasn't had any bad experiences.

"I'm a female and I live alone, so [safety] was always a concern of mine," she said. "I make sure people are who they say they are and have at least three or four references, and I trust my instincts."

Now Batey, whose passport arrived in September, is planning trips to see her new friends in China and Germany—and crash with them to stay within her budget, of course.

While it certainly worked for Batey, you don't have to open your doors to the world to make new acquaintances. Whether you're looking to meet someone new or just save money, Chicago offers several ways to spend some time with people you've never met.

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## Groupon [groupon.com](http://groupon.com)

What's better than making friends? Saving money. Or maybe it's the other way around. The point is, the Chicago-based Web service helps users save cash by booking in bulk. The daily activity can be anything from a cooking class to sky diving—all in the Chicago area.

"We'll sell tickets to a Chicago Cubs rooftop game, so you go there and you're already part of this community as opposed to just going to a game by yourself," said Groupon founder Andrew Mason. "You can go

solo and all these people are there that you have something in common with."

And here's a tip for the fellas: Mason said about 70 percent of users are women ages 18 to 35 who like going out two or more times a week.

"[Groupon] is really a city guide for people who live in a big city like Chicago and are maybe a little overwhelmed," Mason said. "We give them a nudge so they get off the couch and try some of things that the city has to offer."

## Chicago Cares [chicagocares.org](http://chicagocares.org)

Want to meet other volunteers who share your passion for lending a hand? All it takes is an online orientation to start working on civic projects throughout the city. Whether you're playing bingo with seniors or caring for plants at Garfield Park Conservatory, enough opportunities exist that volunteers can help out whenever they want and try a variety of types of work.

"It's easy to get to know people that way, meeting people who have the same interests as you," said Abbie Davis, assistant for programs and service events at Chicago Cares.



## CouchSurfing [couchsurfing.org](http://couchsurfing.org)

You wouldn't let your best friend visit Chicago and not offer her your sofa for the night, right? Well, that's the idea behind CouchSurfing, a network that takes the concept international.

With more than 1 million travelers from more than 230 countries, the choices are endless. Users generate profiles to share their habits

and interests. Travelers can browse the profiles and request a place to stay. In turn, hosts are free to pick and choose who stays with them and when. A system of references, referrals and address verifications helps users build reputations so other members can feel more secure about sharing a space with a complete stranger.

Still, the system isn't perfect, and travelers should be prepared to stay in a hostel or hotel if things don't work out, advised CouchSurfing spokesman Emmanuel Lemor. "The most important thing for members is to keep in mind that if they feel they wouldn't be comfortable in a situation, they shouldn't put themselves in that position," Lemor said. "Everyone should have a backup plan."



## eRideshare [erideshare.com](http://erideshare.com)

You probably wouldn't pick up a hitchhiker, but you might not mind carpooling to work with your neighbor. ERideshare is somewhere in the middle.

The network helps users find carpools to work and connects drivers traveling across the country. The goals: save money on transportation costs and help the environment by reducing

fuel emissions.

CEO Steve Schoeffler said he understands the fear of sharing a car with a stranger, but he said in 10 years he's never had an incident of what he calls "the stranger danger that people want to fantasize about."

The site encourages new users to meet in a public place and ask for a copy of a driver's license and a picture before getting into someone's car. Then comes the hard part with your new acquaintance: negotiating radio stations, establishing smoking rules and engaging in just the right amount of conversation.



# sports



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Here's what I'm watching  
this weekend.

## COLLEGE FOOTBALL

**Penn State  
at Michigan**

2:30 p.m. Saturday, ABC

## MLB PLAYOFFS

**L.A. Angels  
at N.Y. Yankees**

7 p.m. Saturday, Fox

## NHL

**Blackhawks  
vs. Nashville**

7:30 p.m. Saturday, WGN

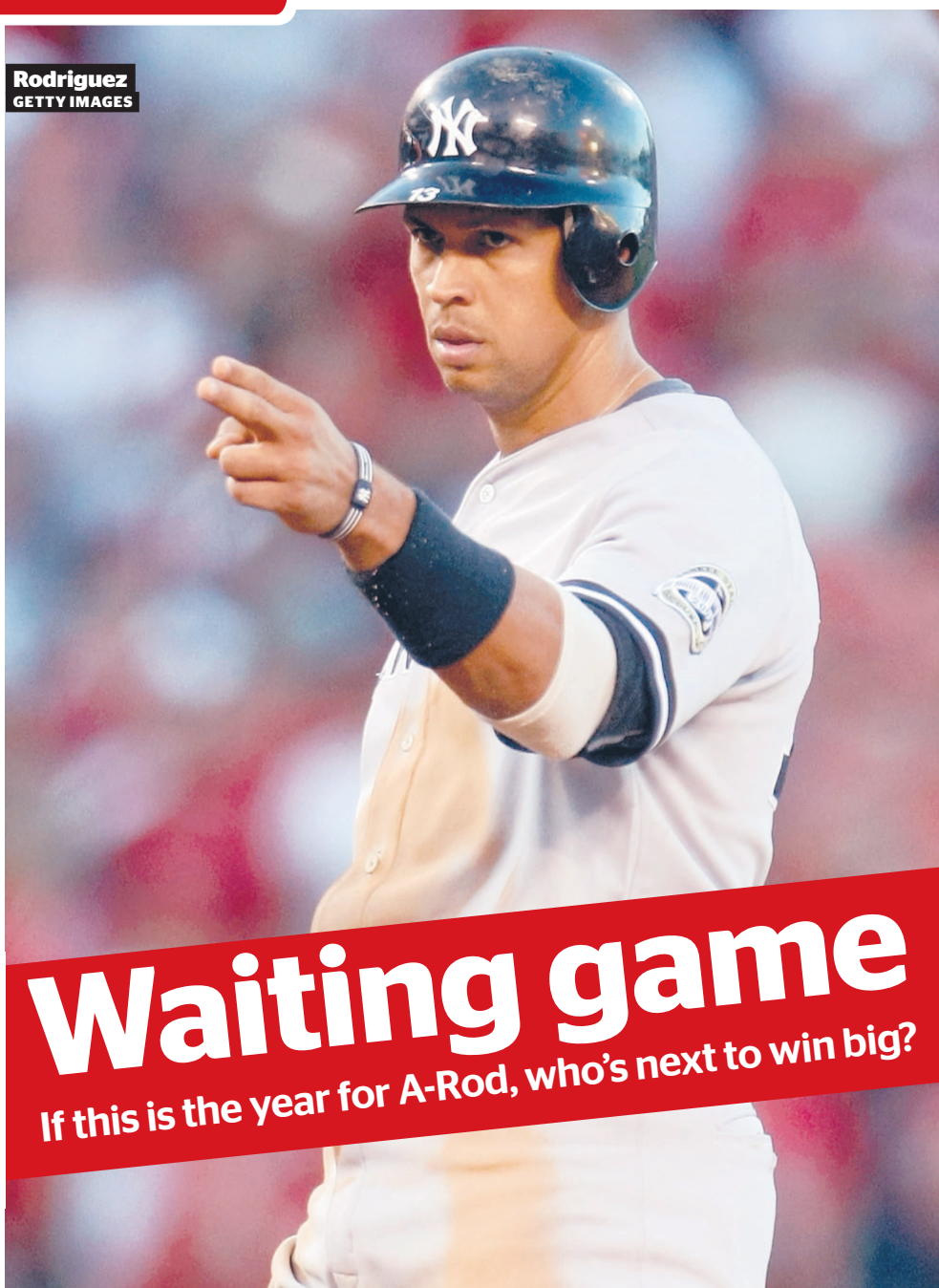


## NFL

**Bears at  
Cincinnati**

3:15 p.m. Sunday, Fox

**Rodriguez**  
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# Waiting game

If this is the year for A-Rod, who's next to win big?

**By Ryan Smith**  
FOR REDEYE

Thanks to several clutch hits in the playoffs this October, Alex Rodriguez is silencing his critics and proving to be more A-God than A-Fraud. But now that the Yankees slugger seemingly has shed the 10-ton postseason failure monkey from his back—and only a World Series win truly would accomplish that—could it mean other high-profile athletes will follow suit this year? RedEye investigates the prospects for three superstar candidates who have yet to win it all. **RYAN SMITH IS A REDEYE SPECIAL CONTRIBUTOR.**



**LeBron James** *Cleveland Cavaliers forward*  
**Big burden:** He may The King, but James has yet to experience his long-anticipated coronation into the hall of NBA champions, making some in the sports world skittish about calling him the best player in the league.

**Outlook:** Heavy lies the crown on King James, but Shaq Daddy is in the fold after an off-season trade. This just might be the year.



**Sergio Garcia** *PGA golfer*  
**Big burden:** The label of Best Player Never To Win A Major—or BPNTWAM to golf geeks—stuck to Phil Mickelson for years, but now the mantle has fallen squarely on the Spaniard, a former phenom whom many thought would challenge Tiger Woods for supremacy throughout this decade. It hasn't happened.

**Outlook:** Sure, he's got four chances a year, but "El Nino" has been more like a modest squall considering his best finish in a major in 2009 was a tie for 10th place.



**Donovan McNabb**  
*Philadelphia Eagles quarterback*

**Big burden:** The Chicago native has Hall of Fame credentials—five Pro Bowl selections, nearly 30,000 yards passing and a boatload of wins—yet he's never been able to win the one game that counts most, the Super Bowl.

**Outlook:** The Saints and Vikings appear to be better teams in the NFC, and the stinker McNabb and the Eagles put up against the lowly Raiders last week doesn't inspire much faith in Philadelphia's chances.

## five on one

The MLB playoffs have been so entertaining our panel almost forgave Chicago's teams for falling short. Almost. Sign up for weekday Five on Five at [redeyechicago.com/facebookfives](http://redeyechicago.com/facebookfives).



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Besides the original baseball World Series, which World Series would you be most likely to watch?

The Triple-A World Series to cap off Chicago pothole season.

The Beer League Softball World Series. After a few innings, I'd get fat-guy brawls absolutely FREE!

The World Series of Life, a.k.a. not sitting around wasting away in front of a TV.

World Series of Beer Pong. And by "watch" I mean participate.

The World Series of Dice. Great "Chappelle's Show" skit.

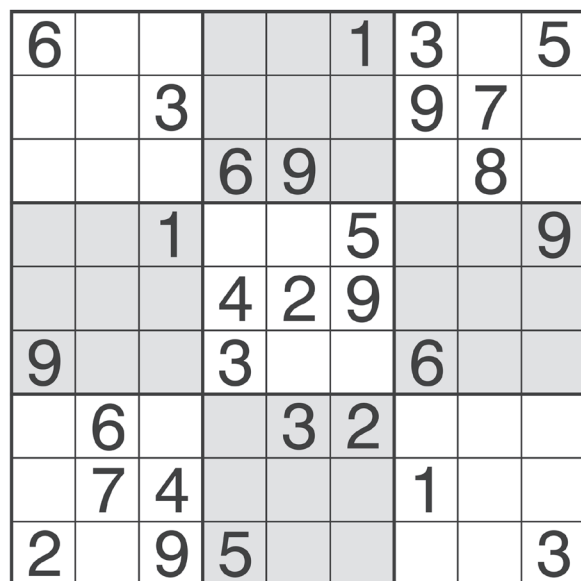


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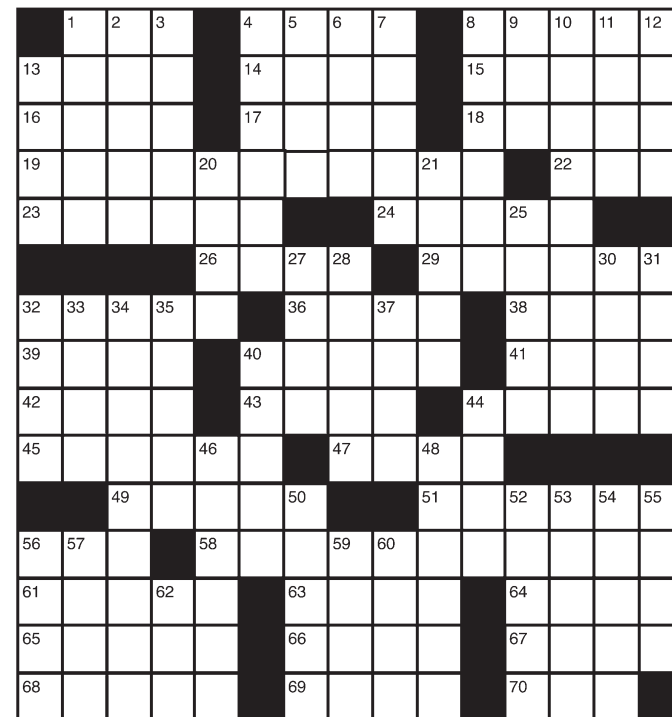
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**ACROSS**

- 1 Jacuzzi
- 4 Went as a passenger
- 8 Southpaw
- 13 Chimney channel
- 14 Odd's opposite
- 15 Dome-shaped home
- 16 Horse feed
- 17 Chair or pew
- 18 Opportunistic flatterer
- 19 Fall celebration in Germany
- 22 Sticky stuff
- 23 Tyrant
- 24 Acting parts
- 26 Title for old Russian leaders
- 29 One who reads aloud in church
- 32 Like a copycat
- 36 Fuzzy brown fruit
- 38 Part of the ear
- 39 Loaned
- 40 Furious
- 41 Abbr. following many poems
- 42 No longer here
- 43 Small bills
- 44 Spirited horse
- 45 Turkey's capital
- 47 Authentic
- 49 Overact
- 51 Variety of small poultry
- 56 Astonishment
- 58 "Romeo and Juliet" playwright
- 61 Italy's Isle of \_
- 63 Satisfy
- 64 Cain and \_
- 65 Perfect
- 66 Vigorous spirit
- 67 "Follow the Yellow Brick \_"
- 68 Filthy
- 69 In case
- 70 Brillo rival

**DOWN**

- 1 Quench
- 2 Plays miniature golf
- 3 Fable writer
- 4 Adjusts a clock
- 5 Above
- 6 Unable to hear
- 7 Go in
- 8 Tiny
- 9 Sense of self-esteem



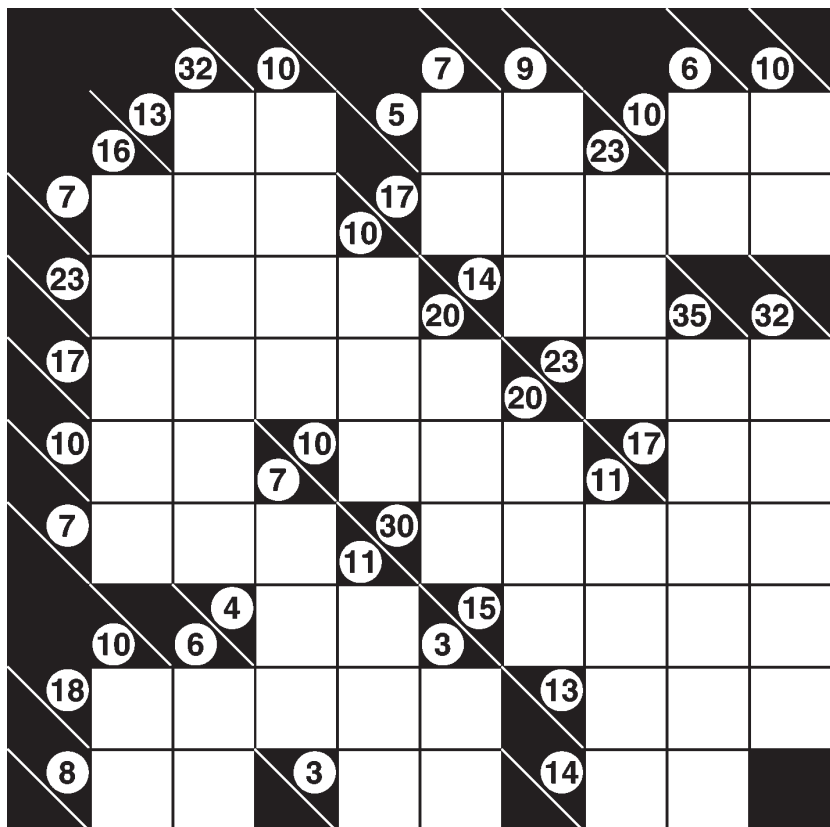
- 10 Stratified rock used for outdoor paving
- 11 Commotion
- 12 Ma with a cello
- 13 Nourishment
- 20 One as well as the other
- 21 Not hollow
- 25 Dazzling effect
- 27 Related
- 28 Nile or Volga
- 30 Woodwind instrument
- 31 Tear apart

- 32 Seaweed
- 33 Lowly worker
- 34 Hotel owner
- 35 Water vapor
- 37 Intelligent
- 40 Reluctant
- 44 Smack
- 46 In an optimistic way
- 48 Missing
- 50 Art show tripod
- 52 Comes close to
- 53 Prohibited

- 54 Zones
- 55 Blend together
- 56 Heartburn causer
- 57 Usually dry stream bed
- 59 Hardy cabbage
- 60 Greek letters
- 62 Traitor

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Enter a number between 1 and 9 in the empty squares. The clues are the numbers in the white circles that give the sum of the solution numbers: above the line are across clues; below the line are down clues. Thus, a clue of 3 will produce a solution of 2 and 1, and a 5 will produce 4 and 1, or 2 and 3, but, of course, which squares they go in will depend on the solution of a clue in the other direction. No digit can be repeated in a solution. Answer at [redyechicago.com/puzzles](http://redyechicago.com/puzzles).

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## Screen screams

One week till Halloween. Should you whip together a last-minute Michael Jackson costume or buy the Kate Gosselin wig? Go to your neighbor's Halloween house party or brave the fratty masses at a Lincoln Park bar? Oh, to heck with it. Just go see a slasher flick or check out one of the latest vampire/zombie entries. Here's a quick guide to the recent horror releases. **ARIEL ALEXOVICH FOR REDEYE**



COLUMBIA PICTURES

### Zombieland (R)

**Tag line:** "Nut up or shut up."

**Released:** Oct. 2

**Stars:** Woody Harrelson, Jesse Eisenberg

**Villain:** An army of the undead

**Gore factor:** Very gory, but Newsday also describes it as a "gory, funny, endearing, romantic zombie movie."

**Reminds us of:** "Adventureland" meets "28 Days Later"



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### Paranormal Activity (R)

**Tag line:** "What happens when you sleep?"

**Released:** Oct. 2

**Stars:** Katie Featherston, Micah Sloat

**Villain:** Your own mind (eep!)

**Gore factor:** Minimum, but Roger Ebert says it's "so well made it's truly scary."

**Reminds us of:** "The Blair Witch Project"



SCREEN GEMS

### The Stepfather (PG-13)

**Tag line:** "This fall, daddy's home."

**Released:** Oct. 16

**Stars:** Penn Badgley, Dylan Thomas

**Villain:** A stepfather with a serial-killing past

**Gore factor:** "Less gore and more suspense," Syfy reports.

**Reminds us of:** "The Stepfather" (1987 version) meets "Disturbia"

### Cirque du Freak: The Vampire's Assistant (PG-13)

**Tag line:** "Meet Darren. He's 16 going on immortal."

**Released:** This weekend

**Stars:** John C. Reilly, Salma Hayek

**Villain:** The Vampanese, a pack of loud, throat-ripping vampires

**Gore factor:** Minimal and very theatrical

**Reminds us of:** "Twilight" meets "The Vampire Diaries"



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### Saw VI (R)

**Tag line:** "He helped me."

**Released:** This weekend

**Stars:** Tobin Bell, Shawnee Smith

**Villain:** Jigsaw, a torture-inflicting madman who's supposed to be dead.

**Gore factor:** Maximum

**Reminds us of:** "Saw," "Saw II," "Saw III" ...



# red hot

## In the 'Hornet's' nest

Seth Rogen is happy to finally be filming "The Green Hornet."

"'Green Hornet' is everything I imagined and more," Rogen told reporters Thursday evening, adding that even though the production, which spent years in development, has begun, "we still gotta make it awesome."

Rogen was promoting his Halloween special, "Monsters vs. Aliens: Mutant Pumpkins from Outer Space," in which he again voices B.O.B. the blob, but he revealed some news about "Green Hornet."

"Edward Furlong is in the movie, yes," Rogen said, but he remained tight-lipped on which character the actor plays.

"That I can't reveal."

Rogen said because he's a writer, producer and star on "Green Hornet," he's feeling the pressure to make it great.

"I've been talking about this movie for years," he said, "and if it sucks no one will be more disappointed than me, believe me."

The animated "Monsters vs. Aliens" airs at 7 p.m. Wednesday on NBC.

Rogen  
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"I think selling out is when you stop believing enough in your music to put yourself out to explain it to people."

U2 singer Bono to The Associated Press on the band's appearances on "Good Morning America," "Saturday Night Live" and "The Late Show with David Letterman" to promote their latest album

Bono  
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### One more time?

Has Britney Spears (right) found The One? For real this time? Her mom seems to think so. In this week's cover story, *Us Weekly* said Spears' family is ecstatic about her new beau, 37-year-old Jason Trawick, Spears' longtime agent. "Lynne [Spears, Britney's mom] said, 'He's the kind of man you would dream of your daughter marrying. The kids love him, and he's stable,'" *Us Weekly* reported, citing a friend of Spears.

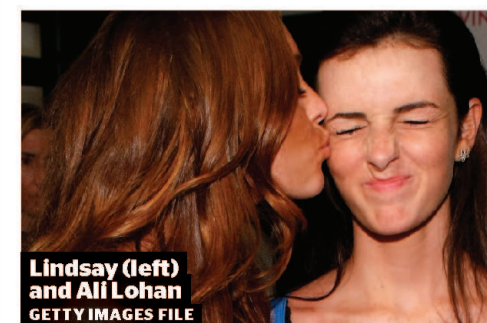


### Moving out

Ashlee Simpson-Wentz and Chicago-area native Colin Egglesfield are being served with an eviction notice from their roles on "Melrose Place." The duo, who had respective roles as Violet and Auggie and were central to a murder mystery plot, will make their final appearance on the show in January, *The CW* confirmed Thursday after Entertainment Weekly's Web site broke the story earlier this week.

### Case dismissed

A court commissioner on Friday dismissed criminal charges against Kanye West and his road manager stemming from their scuffle with photographers last year, *The Associated Press* reports. West and his manager were arrested on Sept. 11, 2008, after an altercation with two photographers at Los Angeles International Airport that led to a still camera, flash and a video camera being broken.



Lindsay (left) and Ali Lohan  
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### Sibling revelry

Chill out, Lindsay Lohan says. It's cool that she's taking her 15-year-old sister, Ali, out for late nights at clubs and restaurants. "She's tougher than I am," Lohan told *Life & Style* magazine. "She has a good head on her shoulders. Maybe it was different for me because I didn't know what to expect, and it just happened really fast. I didn't have a big sister."

### THE DIGIT

## \$699.99

The cost of a Blueair 550E air purifier listed on the wedding registry for former "Girls Next Door" star Kendra Wilkinson and football player Hank Baskett, according to [thedailybeast.com](http://thedailybeast.com)